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Description: ff. i + 180 + i - Eighteenth century. Edges gilt. Green calf with tan, gold-tooled label. - Acquired by David Wagstaff; gift of Mrs. David Wagstaff in 1943. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, MS 151.

Notes:-Manuscript on parchment of Aristotle, Ethica. An anonymous Tuscan translation made for Nuno de Guzman from the Latin translation of Leonardo Bruni.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

Direct Link: http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/BeineckeMS151_47

Language: Italian *Country:* Italy *Century:* 15th

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Part 1:

Description: - parchment - 260 x 180 (164 x 113) mm.

Country: Italy

Region: Italy

Assigned Date: [ca. 1450]

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Cardinal point:

City:

Searchable Date Range: 1450 - 1450

Inscribed Date:

Number of Scribes:

Script: Text written in a well formed humanistic bookhand by a single scribe; the rubrics, in majuscules, by another scribe who used excessive punctuation.

Notes: The decoration is by Gioacchino de' Gigantibus. A gold initial, 5-line, on f. 1r embedded in white vine ornament, extending into sides, top, and lower margin, filled in with green, red, and blue, with small section at regular intervals filled with gold; a green bird near the initial; in lower margin, an empty laurel wreath supported by putti filled later with a coat of arms (unidentified) in pen, now effaced; a few gold dots with hair-spray in brown ink. Other initials, gold, 5- to 4-line, on ff. 7r, 93v, 106v, 126r, 161v, in same manner, but with gold infilling. Significant stains in margins of first few leaves. Binding: Eighteenth century. Edges gilt. Green calf with tan, gold-tooled label.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Other Associate: Bruni, Leonardo 1369-1444.

Author: Aristotle.

Title: Ethica.

Subjects: Aristotle.; Ethics--Early works to 1800.; Illumination of books and manuscripts, Medieval.; Italian literature--15th century.; Literature, Medieval--Translations.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.; Philosophy, Ancient.;

Language(s): Italian